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Our File No.: <u>A31737-PCT-USA</u> - <u>072448.0299</u>

Date: March 22, 2001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hayes et al.

Serial No.

09/701,662

Examiner

: TBA

Filed

November 30, 2000

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For

CONTROL OF FLOW AND MATERIALS FOR MICRO DEVICES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- 2. [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- 3. [X] No additional fee is required.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on March 22, 2001.

Attorney Name	Marta E. Delsignore	Registration No. 32,689	
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 - 4.(a)[] An Extension of Time to respond to the PTO communication dated is hereby requested. The required fee, indicated below, is enclosed herewith.

Extension for response (check only one):

	SMA	ALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
Within first month	[]	\$ 55	0	\$ 110	
Within second month	Ö	195	[]	390	
Within third month	[]	445	[]	890	
Within fourth month	[]	695	[]	1,390	

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

[] An extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$.

or

- (b)[X] In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.
- 5. [] Please charge our Deposit Account No. 02-4377 in the amount of \$. Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- 6. [] A check in the amount of \$ is attached.

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7. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4377. Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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By Marta E Ulsranne Marta E. Delsignore

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Enclosures